

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Daiji NAKA et al.

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: **Examiner Not Yet Assigned**

SPECIFIC ANTIBODY DIRECTED TO
ACTIVE HEPATOCYTE GROWTH
FACTOR ACTIVATOR AND METHOD
FOR USING THE SAME

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents,
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Abstract:

Please insert the attached Abstract between page 70 of the claims and Figure 1 of the Figures.

REMARKS

In reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts, an Abstract is provided for this application.

In addition, as required by the Notice To File Missing Parts, it is confirmed that the content of the Sequence Listing information recorded in computer readable form filed on